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TO AMEMBASSY ALGIERS

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, MILI, AG, US

SUBJECT: SALE OF JEEPS TO ALGERIA
REF: DUNBAR-JAMESON TELCON, FEBRUARY 15

1. MUNITIONS CONTROL LICENSE BY AM GENERAL FOR EXPORT OF
ONE (1) MODEL M825 1/4 TON JEEP AND ONE (1) MODEL M151A2
UTILITY TRUCK, BOTH EQUIPPED WITH WEAPONS MOUNTS, WAS
DISAPPROVED DECEMBER 3, 1976. NO APPLICATION FOR SALE OF
200 JEEPS OF THESE TYPES HAS BEEN MADE.

2. WE HAVE BEEN IN TOUCH WITH AM GENERAL WHICH HAS DECIDED
TO SEE WHETHER GOA WILL ACCEPT JEEPS WHICH DO NOT REQUIRE
MC LICENSE. IF THIS IS NOT POSSIBLE AM GENERAL WILL APPEAL
DISAPPROVAL. EMBASSY WILL BE KEPT INFORMED OF ANY
ADDITIONAL DEVELOPMENTS.

3. FYI. WE ARE TOLD BY AM GENERAL THAT GOA HAS THREATENED
TO GIVE SEPARATE CONTRACT UNDER NEGOTIATION WITH AM GENERAL
FOR PURCHASE OF 5,000 TRUCKS TO ANOTHER SUPPLIER UNLESS
200 M825 AND M151A2 VEHICLES ARE RECEIVED. AM GENERAL
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REP ALSO SAID ALGERIANS THREATENED TO STOP MAKING PURCHASES
FROM U.S. ALTOGETHER. LATTER STATEMENT IS CLEARLY AN
EXAGGERATION BUT IT DOES APPEAR THAT GOA IS VERY SENSITIVE
ON THIS MATTER.
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